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Tech. Sgt. Marilyn Zimmerman

Capt. Dean Balstad, 43rd Electronic Combat Squadron, greets his family with a healthy embrace after being separated for nearly two months by Operation Iraqi Freedom. They were one of many families reunited April 22 and 23 here.

43rd ECS members return from war

By Tech. Sgt. B. Coors-Davidson
355th Wing Public Affairs

About 60 people and four EC-130 Compass Call aircraft from Davis-Monthan Air Force Base's 43rd Electronic Combat Squadron returned home April 22 and 23 nearly two months after deploying to support Operation Iraqi Freedom.

Arriving to the cheers and support of families and co-workers from the 55th Electronic Combat Group, three of the four EC-130 Compass Call aircraft arrived April 22 while the fourth was delayed for 24 hours for maintenance at Ramstein Air Base, Germany.

The return marks the first homecoming for D-M members since the war in Iraq began.

"Their safe return is a wonderful blessing," said a tearful Jennifer Harm, wife of Lt. Col. Craig Harm, 43rd ECS commander. "It was a surprise because we expected them to be gone almost six months." Fortunately, theirs was an early return.

While deployed, the unit was designated the 43rd

Expeditionary Electronic Combat Group, and was based at Souda Bay, Crete.

The unit was tasked with electronically jamming enemy military communications while flying over

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A crewmember from one of the 43rd Electronic Combat Squadron EC-130s that returned from the war April 22, displays the American flag after landing.

Another Hercules joins D-M inventory

First 79 RQS C-130 lands April 25

By Tech. Sgt. B. Coors-Davidson
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There's a new kid on the block on Davis-Monthan's flight line.

It's the first of 11 HC-130 Hercules aircraft assigned to the 79th Rescue Squadron.

This aircraft arrived April 25 from Kirtland Air Force Base, N.M., to take its place in the 355th Wing's new combat search and rescue mission.

At first glance, the aircraft may look like dozens of other C-130s along the parking ramp, but a closer inspection reveals the subtle differences that make this Hercules so unique.

Absent are the telltale antennas that mark the EC-130, a common sight here. Instead, the HC-130 has an unusual pod mounted on each wing, just past the outboard engines.

"It's these pods that make the HC-130 so special," said Lt. Col. Craig Knierim, 79th RQS navigator. "They're refueling pods that give us the capability to gas up our HH-60 helicopters flying into enemy territory to perform the search and rescue mission."

The HC-130 crew trains to sneak into enemy territory as low

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Col. Larry Stutzriem
355th Wing Commander

Supporting each other and working together to provide the best programs and services is a goal for all D-M people.

Ideas, suggestions, comments, concerns and kudos are important to make improvements.

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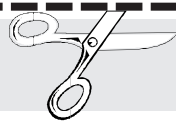
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Spirit of Hope found in D-M member

By Staff Sgt. Shanda De Anda

355th Wing Public Affairs

Davis-Monthan Air Force Base's nominee for the Spirit of Hope award received notice of also being the Air Combat Command nominee April 17. Staff Sgt. BobbiJo Turnier, 355th Operations Support Squadron aviation records NCO in charge, now competes at the Air Force-level.

The Spirit of Hope Award is a United Services Organization's award, named in honor of Bob Hope.

In conjunction with the Air Force Sergeants Association, the award is presented to a junior enlisted member who embodies the values of men and women of the armed forces: duty, honor, courage, loyalty, commitment and integrity.

"When we received the wing tasker to identify an eligible person for this program the first person who came to mind was BobbiJo," said Chief Master Sgt. Michael Le Blanc, 355th OSS flight management chief. "The criteria equaled BobbiJo. To be eligible you've got to be good at your job and support the community. She does that and she puts her whole being into everything that she does."

"Staff sergeant Turnier is an absolutely incredible NCO and was recognized as the best NCO of the year in our squadron," said Lt. Col. Walker Bowman, 355th OSS commander. "She is number one of 48 staff sergeants and as the backbone of customer support, she led the support for 792 wing combat aviators."

In addition to Turnier's dedication and attention to detail for a significant work load, she constantly makes her personal time available to helping in the community, both at D-M and in the Tucson area.

"BobbiJo led a four person team, processing more than 200 aviation records when the wing faced realignments and closures," said Bowman. "Each record took about two hours to process and after a total of 400 man-hours, all of the aviation records were transferred without error."

"BobbiJo is a superb, open-hearted Air Force ambassador. She was the first of only two in a crowd of 240 people to volunteer to attend a suicide prevention and violence awareness education instructor course. She is always helping others in need," said Le Blanc.

"The 355th Operations Support Squadron is extremely proud of staff sergeant BobbiJo Turnier and her accomplishments in being selected as the ACC winner for the Spirit of Hope Award. She is the epitome of the word 'volunteer' and is a living example of how one person can make a lasting impact in the base and local Tucson community," said Bowman. "Winning this award has had a huge impact on our squadron. Her enthusiasm is contagious within our squadron and has been a catalyst for others to raise their hand and volunteer."

"Two other individuals in her section were awarded the Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal due in part, to the example she has set. She is an absolutely tireless motivator and embodies the values of our men and women in the armed forces – she infuses loyalty and commitment up and down the chain and is the true 'Spirit of Hope.'"

Some of Turnier's other contributions as a volunteer include being a judging effort leader for a junior ROTC drill competition, involving 20 Tucson schools and a can-do-crew member, which involves helping elderly Tucson residents with things like yard work.

She was also a Tucson Electric Park September 11 Remembrance Day volunteer, helping raise more than \$48,000 for the D-M Family Support Center and a Letter Carrier of Tucson volunteer, in which she collected almost 250,000 pounds of food for the Tucson community.

"I find out about most of the volunteer opportunities at D-M and in Tucson from Jackie Abell at the family support center or through word of mouth," said Turnier. "There are so many people in my life that inspire me to do what I do."

"Probably the most impactful are: my dad's [Bob Durling] work ethic, he's so hard working and never complains; my mom's [Debra Douglas] 'You just need to keep going no matter what life throws your way' attitude; my brother's [Marine Sgt. Ben Durling] courage, strength and resilience; and my husband's [Staff Sgt. Josh Turnier] dedication, motivation and intelligence."

Turnier is a positive asset to D-M and the local community, but volunteering also has a positive affect on Turnier.

"I am very fortunate and am grateful for any opportunity that I have to help others," said Turnier. "Perhaps, the most rewarding volunteer activity I have been involved in lately was donating 12 inches of my hair to Locks of Love."

Locks of Love is a nonprofit organization that provides custom, vacuum-fitted hairpieces to financially disadvantaged children with long-term medical hair loss.

For more information, visit their Web site at www.locksoflove.org or call their toll-free number at 1-888-896-1588.

"I think Air Combat Command picked the right person for this award. There are a lot of people out there doing a lot of great things and deserving of their 15 minutes of fame, but BobbiJo deserves this one," said Le Blanc. "I am all about recognizing people. I believe it's one of the most important things supervisors can do and there are a lot of award programs."

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News Notes

Commissary closure

The Davis-Monthan Air Force Base Commissary will be closed May 12 for upgrades to the cashier register system. They will reopen May 13 at regular business hours.

PFEs arrive in May

The 2003 promotion fitness exam and supervisory examination study guides are now being distributed to Air Force locations worldwide. Members should go to their unit Weighted Airman Promotion System managers to receive Air Force Pamphlet 36-2241, Volumes 1 and 2, Promotion Fitness Examination and U.S. Air Force Supervisory Examination study guides. The guides become effective July 1.

MPF ID card hours

The 355th Military Personnel Flight customer service ID card section hours are 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. Active-duty personnel in uniform have priority ID card service from 7:30 to 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays.

FY requirements

It's time to prepare for fiscal 2003 close-out and fiscal 2004 renewals. The 355th Contracting Squadron is implementing guidelines for processing fiscal 2003 end-of-year requirements and fiscal 2004 service requirements. Customers must prepare and submit through their resource advisor both funded and non-funded Air Force Form 9s for end-of-year items and advance planning for fiscal 2004. For more information, call 1st Lt. Claude Griffiths at 228-3872.

Vehicle registration guidelines

All personnel are reminded that vehicles with expired decals will not be allowed on the installation. ID card, driver's license, registration, proof of insurance and current decal number are required for a renewal. Questions can be directed to pass and registration at 228-3224.

Community Assessment survey

The Web-based 2003 Air Force Community Assessment survey is now in effect. Approximately 800 active-duty and reserve service members and 1,000 spouses at each base will be randomly selected to participate in the survey. The data will be available to Community Action Information Boards and Integrated Delivery Service Teams by August via a secure interactive Web site.

Pet week rolls over D-M

By Senior Airman Tammie Clark
355th Wing Public Affairs

People across the country will celebrate national Pet Care Week to promote responsible pet ownership Saturday through May 11.

"Responsible pet ownership begins with the understanding that these animals may live 12 to 14 years," said Kat Peach, Davis-Monthan Air Force Base Veterinary Services operations technician. "You must be willing to make that type of commitment."

To help maintain the health of cats and dogs, veterinary services offer preventive medicines that include vaccinations, fecal tests, heartworm tests and leukemia tests. Other services available include microchips and health certificates for travel.

Veterinary services at D-M are available to active-duty members, retirees, dependents of active duty and retirees and guard and reserve members who are on active duty for a period of two or more weeks. The hours of operation are Mondays through Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and are subject to change without notice to support mission requirements.

"Due to Army manning we don't have a full-time vet," said Peach. "Military veterinarians take care of military animals. That is their mission. We provide a courtesy service to private animals." Currently appointments are limited due to manning.

Pet owners who live on base are required to have their pet regis-

tered with in 10 duty days of establishing residency on base, said Peach. There is no fee to register a pet on base, but their vaccinations must be current. Pets with current vaccinations do not need to be brought to the office for registration; all that is required is a copy of their current vaccination records.

"If you live in Pima County you are required by law to license your dog," said Peach. Pets going off base for training or to a park are required by law to be licensed by Pima County Animal Control. The fee is \$8.50 for altered (spayed or neutered) dogs and \$75.50 for unaltered dogs.

The required vaccinations for a cat cost \$19, said Peach. The vaccinations protect against rabies and upper respiratory disease. For an additional \$4, a cat can be vaccinated for leukemia, but it is not required.

The required vaccinations for a dog cost \$25, said Peach. The vaccinations include a rabies shot and the annual shots.

This service, offered on base, proves to be convenient for the military members here.

"We just recently got our dog from the Pima County Humane Society and went to the base veterinary services for his initial follow-up vaccinations," said Senior Airman Trevin Ritter, 355th Operations Support Squadron air traffic controller. "They were professional, courteous and they helped me right away. I plan to continue to use the vet services on



Staff Sgt. Shanda De Anda

(Right to left) Army Capt. Michelle Zachry, D-M Veterinary Clinic, extracts cells from a bump on Benji's neck as his owner, retired Tech. Sgt. Gilbert Gonzales, holds him still and keeps him calm. The cells extracted will be sent to a lab for analysis to help determine the cause of the growth.

base because the discounts are huge compared to other clinics."

Another popular service is providing health certificates for animals going overseas, said Peach. "Health certificates are free for active duty on permanent change of station orders. For all others there is a \$5 fee."

"I deal with all the regulations for going overseas," said Peach. "There are things the clients need to be aware of before going overseas [with an animal]."

Also available is the HomeAgain microchip pet tracking system, said Peach. It is a system that meets the International Organization for Standards requirements. "[HomeAgain microchips] can be scanned with European scanners. The microchip cost for cats and dogs is \$20, which includes instal-

lation." Any type of animal can be microchipped.

The biggest thing to understand is if the pet is found and turned in to a shelter the system works great, said Peach. The chip can't prevent against someone greedy finding the pet and keeping it.

If an animal is found on base it can be scanned to see if it has a microchip and it can be checked for base registration, said Peach. If the animal is not registered on base the animal can be taken to a shelter or to security forces that have a small animal holding area.

"It is important that we do all we can to provide for our animals' well-being as they give so much to us in return," said Peach.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, call veterinary services at 228-3529.



Tech. Sgt. B. Coors-Davidson

Staff Sgt. Todd Loshau, 79th Maintenance Squadron, recovers the first 79th Rescue Squadron HC-130 stationed at Davis-Monthan Air Force Base. The HC-130 is the first of 11 aircraft to arrive.

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as 500 feet using the terrain as cover.

"We try to be anywhere hostile forces wouldn't look for us," Knierim said.

In addition to its refueling mission, the HC-130 can drop pararescue forces directly to downed aircrews or wounded American forces so they can begin life-saving medical treatment while the rescue helicopters are en-route.

One member of the 79th Maintenance Squadron has been eagerly awaiting the arrival of the HC-130. Airman 1st Class Nicholas Storey, crew chief, has been watching rescue operations of American forces on the news and is ready to do his part in making the 79th RQS ready to deploy, although it could be up to a year un-

til the unit is worldwide ready.

"Maybe in a year or so, I'll be on a plane that rescues somebody," he said. "It could be my plane out there flying that I fix and maintain that will be able to pick someone up."

The 79th RQS provides rapidly deployable combat search and rescue forces to theater commanders worldwide. It operates and tactically employs the HC-130, and over the next three years the unit will expand to about 150 people and 11 aircraft.

Although new to D-M, the 79th RQS began its service in 1952 at Anderson Air Force Base, Guam, where it served in the Korean War. The unit was based at Grand Forks Air Force Base, N.D., from 1993 until it was deactivated in 1998, and was reactivated under D-M's 355th Operations Group March 14.

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northern Iraqi territory.

The unit's quick return was based on a series of strategic decisions affecting operations in the

region they were deployed to.

"The 43rd ECS had to fly more than five hours from their base of operations to their mission objectives. Add that to the flight time over their target area and the return trip, and it made for some pretty long missions," said Col. Steve Dickman, 55th ECG commander. "Our other deployed EC-130 unit, the 41st Electronic Combat Squadron, is based closer to the area of responsibility, so it made sense to bring the 43rd home first."

Another factor in the decision to bring the unit home included a shortage of aircraft parking and maintenance space at the 43rd ECS deployed location which made operations difficult, Dickman added.

Returning airmen were required to complete a brief self-evaluation on their physical and emotional health before being released to



Tech. Sgt. B. Coors-Davidson

1st Lt. Louis Stewart, 755th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, greets his son, Moses, April 22 after returning from Operation Iraqi Freedom.



Tech. Sgt. Marlin Zimmerman

Master Sgt. Dino Eidson, 755th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, prepares for impact as he sees his family for the first time since he was sent off to the war.

spend up to 10 days at home with their families.

When they return to duty, they begin reviewing and evaluating all aspects of the deployment to highlight lessons learned and continue to find better ways to train and accomplish their mission abroad and at home.

"We are well trained, well prepared and we did everything we needed to do to get the mission accomplished," Harm said. "We have a lot to be proud of and a lot to be thankful for. But we still have people deployed, and our thoughts are with those airmen and their families."

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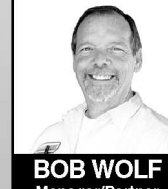
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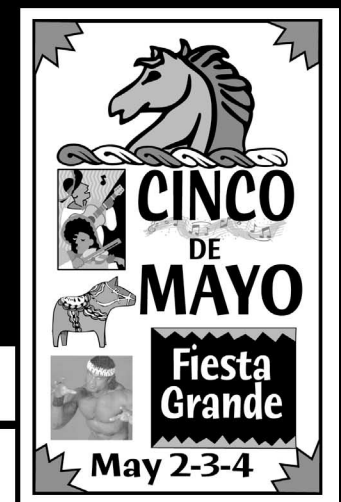
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Attitude, character make winners, create leaders

By (Dr.) Col. Carl Alley
355th Medical Group

Colonel Larry Stutzriem, 355th Wing commander, recently defined some leadership basics during a presentation to airmen at an NCO induction ceremony. He said, "Leaders need to

inspire, encourage and push to be successful." He was talking about the attitude of winning as a leader.

In life, as in any competitive situation, there are three kinds of people—winners, losers and individuals somewhere in between. Leaders

who are winners surround themselves with winners and attract people who want to be winners. The Air Force is full of developing leaders and great people looking to be led until they become leaders themselves.

Operation Iraqi Freedom is just the latest

example of the greatness of the American military and our system of perpetrating the development of leaders. We win because we know that battles, and ultimately the war, are won in the 'will.' The will to 'be the best' is founded in iron and steel. The iron of relentless perseverance and the steel of invincible character.

These characteristics of winners are not innate but developed.

What it takes to be the world's greatest Air Force is for today's leaders to inspire, encourage and push our young airmen to pay the price, to be disciplined, to develop the character through positive attitude, to become the leaders of tomorrow. Today's leaders will fail in their obligation to the future if they approve or do nothing when our airmen whine when given

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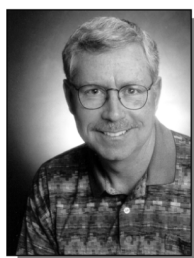


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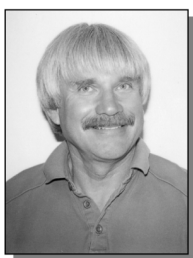
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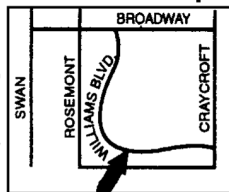
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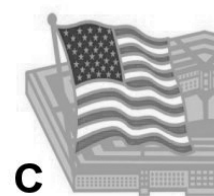
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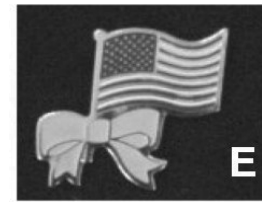
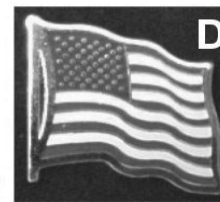
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Attitude

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unique and difficult challenges or complain about being over worked. Iron and steel are tempered by the heat and made stronger. It has been said, "That which does not kill us makes us stronger." And in that same manner, leaders must push airmen to believe and do things that they themselves thought at one time to have been impossible. We have taught well the need to be flexible, adaptable, decisive and action-oriented. But, we must temper those attributes to our full advantage by expecting and demanding discipline to do the right things right.

The 'winning edge' is found in the combination of knowledge, discipline, attitude and character. Air Force leaders are winners. They are winners because they are disciplined and tenacious. They are successful because they can change pace, change tactics, change priorities and change intensity to overcome any challenge. They can be agile, move with speed and drive themselves to achieve unbelievable success. They are winners because their goal is an accomplishment, not a reward. They are achievers. They are contributors. They are builders.

The defeated lack these virtues. They whine,

they blame others, they make excuses and they lack discipline. They know what to do but lack the discipline, the courage, the iron and the steel to find a way to transcend the pain of the moment to achieve greatness.

Vince Lombardi said, "Fatigue makes cowards of us all." The key to our greatness as an Air Force is in the attitude that there is no task too great, no obstacle too difficult, or and no enemy more prepared, disciplined or committed to sacrifice more than us to achieve victory.

As leaders we must get back to basics. We must demand disciplined execution in everything we do. We must set high expectations and standards. We must instill accountability and demand excellence. We must create believers who understand and live the principle that 'pain' is the price of greatness. The Marines say that pain is nothing more than the elimination of weakness. Our airmen must suffer the pain of growth to become a modern day Athenian, Spartan and Roman. They must develop the great Roman appetite for victory, the Spartan stomach to sacrifice to achieve it and the Athenian mind to calculate and ensure it. Add to this mix what Martin Luther King said is the single characteristic of all successful people: "the willingness to work."



Staff Sgt. Shanda De Anda

Col. Carl Alley, 355th Medical Group, reviews paperwork with the 355th MDG medical staff coordinator, Sandy Gourley.

Yes, to ensure our future as the world's greatest Air Force our leaders must demand and validate success through the willingness to work. They must lead our airmen to become winners, not whiners, by encouraging, inspiring and pushing.

Our airmen must believe in the rightness of this noble and honorable leadership responsibility and come to work each day with a positive attitude, the willingness to work and the mental toughness to overcome the pain necessary for growth.

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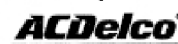
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disposal apprentice

Hometown: Cincinnati, Ohio

Years of service: One and a half
years

Reason for joining the Air Force:
Serve my country, see the world
and gain educational opportuni-
ties

Main responsibilities: Protection
of Air Force personnel, property
and assets from the dangers and
effects of explosives

Best aspects of job: The job is
like no other. Also, people always
ask, "Isn't this job dangerous?"

Goals: I plan to make a career in
the emergency services field.

Hobbies/outside activities:
Baseball, hockey, hanging out with
friends, meeting new people and
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Favorite thing about D-M: When
it's January I can wear shorts

Best assignment: Eglin Air Force
Base, Fla., home of EOD school.
When you get off work you can go
to the beach.

Inspiration: My Dad, if it was not for
him, I wouldn't be where I am
today.



Staff Sgt. Shanda De Anda

New commander

(Left to right) Lt. Col.
John Horner, 354th
Fighter Squadron, re-
views and discusses air-
craft forms with his
crew chief, Airman 1st
Class Ajayson Garcia,
354th FS, prior to take
off Monday. Horner as-
sumed command of the
354th 'Bulldogs Squad-
ron Feb. 7.



Staff Sgt. Shanda De Anda

355th SVS continues trend of excellence

Davis-Monthan Air Force Base's 355th Services Squadron was recently recognized as the Air Combat Command selection for the Gen. Curtis LeMay Award. 355th SVS now competes for the Air Force-level award.

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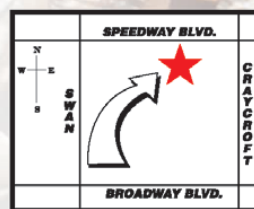


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Stopping the flustered mother with an upraised hand, the white-haired, courtly, soft-spoken colonel leans down and, motioning toward his chest, whispers something into the boy's ear.

As he talks, the little boy's eyes grow wide.

Instantly, the boy calms down, gently takes his mother's hand, and quietly

fastens his seat belt.

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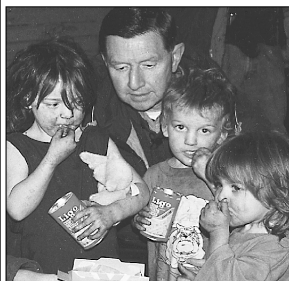
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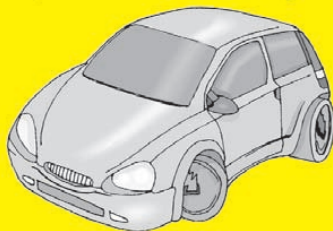
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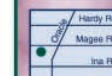
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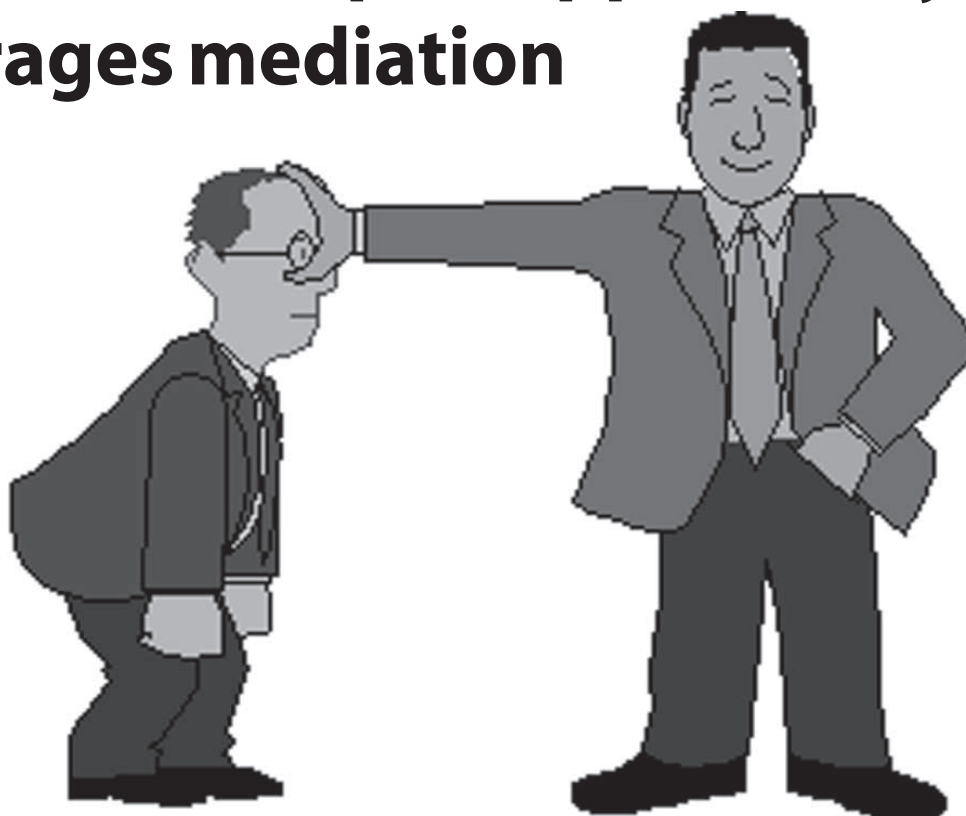
There just isn't any time for this silliness. You made your decision and you're going to stick with it. Isn't that what they pay you for? What kind of organization do we have here anyway that you should have to answer to your subordinates?

Maybe you're the employee here. What right do you have to complain? Who will listen to you? Wouldn't it be easier to just say nothing? It isn't your responsibility to tell the boss how you feel. Your boss should know anyway. And if your production or quality slips, is that any of your responsibility? After all, the boss is the one who made you mad? Isn't it his fault?

Try mediation. The Davis-Monthan Air Force Base Military and Civilian Equal Opportunity Office is here to assist. We don't get involved unless you want us to. We can't guarantee the result you want but we can guarantee a quality process that is understandable and that quickly gives you an opportunity to explain your point of view to the other side, without having to resort to games or trickery. It's a simple, professional, respectful way to air your concerns and feel like a member of the team.

We know we have professional people working and living at D-M. We also know that sometimes the pressure can get to us – all of us. We sometimes need a little assistance to get parties talking. We don't want to make a big deal about it. We don't want to file complaints or exaggerate the situation, but we do want it resolved. Who can we turn to? Who will understand? Who can help make sure the discussion doesn't turn into a blaming game? How can we make sure the other party understands and will continue working with us?

The only stupid problem is one that isn't resolved.



That's why we are glad to offer mediation. We know that sometimes it is difficult to get along with everyone at work or at home, and it is hard to concentrate on our duties when we're trying to concentrate on whatever the problem is. Our trained mediators are not here to solve your problems or to tell you what to do. We are here to help guide your discussion with the other party and make sure that all involved parties have a chance to fully explain their position. We are here to make sure that all options for resolving your problems are laid on the table and discussed professionally, and that all take part in whatever resolution is agreed to, without retaliation or reprisal.

We can't promise that we can resolve all problems, but we will guarantee that we will listen and provide the best trained mediator we can to help guide your discussion. We will also guarantee that we will quickly provide you with information or referrals to another agency or office if we cannot assist you. We will also guarantee you a large degree of confidentiality and an even larger degree of freedom to work out your own solution to your problems. Call us or visit us to fully understand what we mean by confidentiality.

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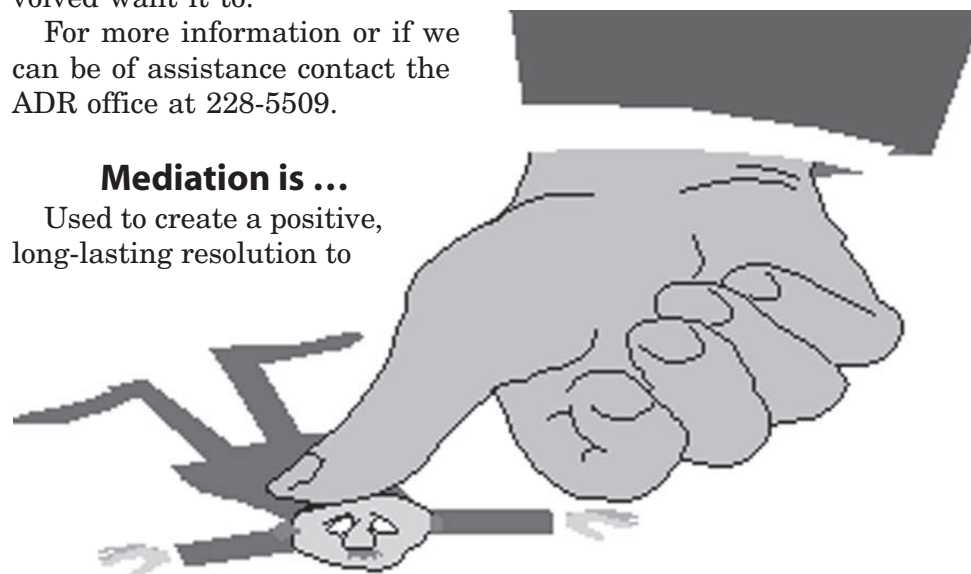
problem will be easy or get you everything you want. Mediation is a two-party process. The mediator is there only to act as a neutral party, a facilitator to the discussion. The mediator is not a member of management or an advocate of either party. The mediator is there to make sure everybody plays by the rules and no one is harmed by the process.

If that is so, how can mediation solve my problem, you ask. Through the process of mediation, all parties get a chance to speak and discuss possible solutions. The parties themselves then decide together how to proceed and how to solve the problem. The agreement belongs to the parties and is enforced only by them. The agreement is as honorable and as just as the parties are themselves. It will last as long as the parties involved want it to.

For more information or if we can be of assistance contact the ADR office at 228-5509.

Mediation is ...

Used to create a positive, long-lasting resolution to



issues

A process that can resolve disputes, often at the lowest level possible and in a short period of time

A process of concentrating on solving the problem and moving forward, not on placing blame

Used to assist in furthering and fostering harmonious working relationships

A process that occurs in a neutral environment under the guidance of trained mediators

A process that permits only parties involved in the dispute to participate in mediation

A process that allows outside parties to serve as advisors before, during caucus, or after mediation.

Available to address workplace concerns and possible referrals to other agencies concerning other disputes involving members of the Davis-Monthan community (military and civilian employees alike).

Mediation is not ...

An avenue for one party to abuse the other party or force an inappropriate solution to the problem

About power – it's about working together to solve the problem

About being a victim – it's about being a part of a team that works together and solves problems together – about being an equal.

We encourage people to use the chain of command and support early resolution of any human relations issue.

The MEO and EEO is co-located in the 355th Wing Building 2300, room 2047. (Courtesy 355th Wing Military and Civilian Equal Opportunity Office)



Senior Airman Tammie Clark

Indoor triathlon

Master Sgt. Ken Ramey (far left), fitness center superintendent, watches as Amy Dent, 355th Services Squadron, pedals the bicycle portion of an indoor triathlon Tuesday. Each competitor had to swim 300 meters, ride the stationary bike for 10 miles, and run one mile on the fitness center's indoor track. Results of the triathlon will be published in next week's Desert Airman.

Sports Shorts

Women's club champion

Jean Rohrer became the 2003 D-M Women's Golf Association Club Champion recently by shooting 82-85-83 over three days. Placing first in First Flight was Hye-Suk Fish with 85-89-83. Earning second place was club president Patricia Horton and previous champion, Elena Mahoney, finished third. Second Flight was won by Barbara Allison, and Nancy Fee edged out Nancy Flesher by one point for second.

In recent Southern District events, the two-day ringer Del Sud was won by Mary Lou Brown. The State Medallion Low Gross winner, two best rounds of four played in March, was won by Elena and Low Net winner was Liz Smith.

The last meeting of the current season will be held Wednesday in the Ladies' Lounge. The Awards Luncheon will be held May 28 in the Palo Verde Room at the officers club.

For those leaving town for the summer and not returning until after the Sign-Up Coffee in August, or for any new ladies wishing to join next season, information on dues and where and how to pay for them is on the locker room bulletin board.

Fitness Month Aquatic Programs

During the month of May, the following programs are going to be offered by the fitness center:

Water Volleyball Tournament – Six-person teams, type of play to be determined by the

number of teams; 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.; May 13, 2027 and 28

Swim Meet – Five individual events, 4x25 meter freestyle relay, 4x50 meter medley relay; 7 a.m. May 23

Stroke Clinics – 1 to 2 p.m.

Tuesday (Beginners) - Kick, breathing, crawl and sidestroke

May 12 (Competition Swimming) - Starts, turns, butterfly, backstroke, breaststroke, drills

May 19 (Swimming for Fitness) - Physical therapy, aerobics, weight loss

May 26 (Efficiency Training) - One on one instruction, video taping (bring a video tape and get a personal stroke analysis)

To sign up for an event or for any questions, please stop by the new fitness center pool or call 228-0015 between 5:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., or between 3:30 and 8 p.m.

"Fast Lanes" Promotion

From May 22 to Aug. 14, D-M Bowling Center customers will have the opportunity to participate in the new Fast Lanes "Scratch 'N Win" game. Customers purchasing a large fountain drink will receive a game piece and could be an instant winner. Fast Lanes participants will also have the opportunity to fill out the Fast Lanes entry form attached to each game piece for a chance to win a collectible NASCAR racing hood replica or grand prize NASCAR VIP trip. For more information, call 228-3461.

2003 U.S. Kids Golf Program

The second Annual Air Combat Command Youth Golf Promotion will be held starting mid-June at the Blanchard Golf Course. This week-long youth golf program is open to all youth ages 6 and older. Program emphasis is on teaching youth how to golf using clubs fitted especially for them. The emphasis is following a teaching program developed to teach the fundamentals of golf and that it can be a fun sport to participate in. Entry fee is \$49.95 and includes five, one-hour lessons, starter clubs, U.S. Kids golf hat, U.S. Kids T-shirt, and end of program parent/child tournament. Call the golf course at 228-3734 for more information and to sign-up your kids.

2003 Fiesta Health & Fitness Expo

Mark your calendars now for the 355th Services Squadron's Fitness and Sports Center "Fiesta Health & Fitness Expo" May 9. This year's expo will be combined with an exciting Cinco de Mayo celebration. Last year's event was a great success and the center packed the house with more than 4,500 military members and their families throughout the day. Dozens of expo visitors went home with great prizes and cash. This year there will be even more prize giveaways awarded along with a variety of health demonstrations, activities, and product samples with some Southwest sparkle. For

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more information on the Fiesta Health & Fitness Expo, please contact Master Sgt. Ken Ramey at 228-0738.

National Youth Sports Program

The National Youth Sports Program is offered at the University of Arizona during the month of June. The age for this program is 10 through 18 and is free of charge. Registration dates are May 19, 22 or 28, 5:30 p.m. at McKale Center. Children must have a 2003 physical. For more information, check out their Web site at www.nysptucson.com or call the youth center at 228-8484.

Cosmic Bowling - Family Night Out

Every Wednesday families can enjoy

Cosmic Bowling from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the D-M Bowling Center. Lanes are only \$10 for a two-hour lane rental or \$20 for a two-hour lane rental and a large one-topping pizza and pitcher of soda. Children younger than 16 receive their shoes for free.

Get out of the Arizona heat

Join a summer bowling league ... a great way to stay cool, meet new friends or have some good family fun. Mondays: Youth/Adult League begins May 12 at 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays: Scratch League, begins June 10 at 5:30 p.m. The Duos League begins June 3 at 5 p.m. For more information, call 228-3461.

High-intensity interval workout

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Air Force Marathon

Registration is underway for the 2003 U.S. Air Force Marathon scheduled to be held Sept. 20 at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio. Reduced fees for early registration are available until June 30. The registration deadline is Sept. 4. For more information, visit the marathon Web site at www.afmarathon.wpafb.af.mil or call the marathon office at (937) 257-4350.



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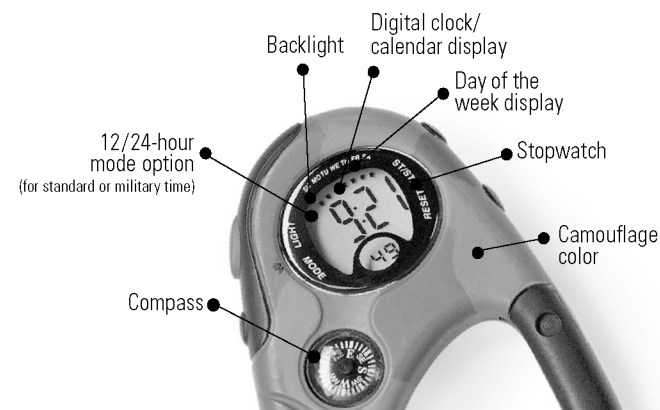
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Chapel Information

Services and activities offered by the D-M chapel are listed below. Location is at the Desert Dove Chapel unless otherwise noted. The Desert Dove and Hope Chapels share the parking lot at 5385 E. Ironwood. For more information on Jewish or Muslim services; Sunday School programs; Vacation Bible School; Bible studies; youth groups; and women's, men's and family ministry, call 228-5411.

Catholic Mass schedule

Saturday: Mass is at 5 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation is at 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: Mass is at 7:30 and 10 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation is at 9:15 a.m.

Daily: Catholic Mass and Communion is at 11:30 a.m. at Hope Chapel. Rosary begins at 11:10 a.m.

Protestant Services schedule

Sunday: Contemporary Service is at 8:30 a.m. and Gospel Service is at 11:15 a.m. at Hope Chapel. Traditional Service is at 11:15 a.m.

Education Services

Education newsletter

The new monthly education newsletter is being published in May and will be sent by e-mail to all chiefs, first sergeants and top three who will e-mail the newsletter to their respective squadron members. Copies will also be available in the education office. For more information, call Michelle Marinelli at 228-4249 or Rafael Maldonado at 228-3484.

MIGB Transfer Program

The Montgomery GI Bill benefits transfer program in its sixth month. The program will remain open through Sept. 30. Eligible Air Force speciality codes are: 1N3XX, 3E7X1, 3C0X2, 32E, 61S and 62E. For more information on the additional eligibility requirements call Phil King at 228-3812.

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For more information on the Troops to Teachers Program, visit www.ProudToServeAgain.com and select the TTT Home Page. To determine eligibility for the program, select Information>Eligibility>Determine Your Eligibility. For more information, call 1-800-231-6242.

CCAF graduation reminder

The Community College of the Air Force graduation is May 14 at 2 p.m. at the officers club. All graduates planning to attend should contact Michelle Marinelli at 228-4249 or Rafael Maldonado at 228-3484.

Family Support Center

Annual Financial Fair

The Personal Financial Management Program is hosting the annual Davis-Monthan Financial Fair May 16 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the enlisted club. The fair will be a one-stop shop providing information

booths, classes and the opportunity to enroll in the Thrift Savings Plan and MYPAY. The classes include safe investing, IRAs, credit reporting and more. Attend any of the classes or just stop by for information. Door prizes are available. No reservations required. For more information, call 228-5690.

Give Parents A Break

There is a Give Parents a Break Program May 17 from 12:30 to 3 p.m. This is a time change from the regular noon schedule. The program offers free child care to active duty Air Force parents who need a parenting break for a few hours. For more information, or a referral, call 228-5690.

Right Start Base Orientation

Right Start Base Orientation, designed to welcome newcomers to D-M and Tucson, features leadership and base agencies discussing a variety of programs and services available. The next orientation is May 13 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the officers club. Free child care is available. For more information, call 228-5690.

Hearts Apart Activity

Those whose spouse is on remote, temporary duty assignment or an extended deployment can join the Hearts Apart group May 17 for a day at the Reid Park Zoo. They must be registered in Hearts Apart Program. To register, call 228-6017 or 228-2336.

Relocation Assistance Program

Inbound and outbound relocation services are available to assist with the moving process. Services include: Smooth Move classes, relocation planning assistance, access to Internet relocation assistance and more. Many customers not only use the program to gain information on Tucson but to gather information for an upcoming permanent change of station, to decide which bases they would like to apply for or to prepare for a final move to civilian status as well. To make an appointment, call 228-5690.

Happenings

Pet adoptathon

Pima Animal Control, Animal Rescue Foundation and Friends of Pima Animals offer the 2003 Pet Adoptathon Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 4 p.m. at the Pima Animal Control. Vendors, animal rescue organizations and pet information will be available to help people make adoption decisions and to help all shelter animals find a home. For more information, send an e-mail to Rosalie Torske at Rtorshe@aol.com or call 298-4018.

Thrift shop

The D-M thrift shop, located in Building 3220, is open Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Consignments are taken until

1 p.m. To reserve space for large items and furniture, call 228-2120.

First 6 Advisory Council

The First 6 Advisory Council provides a platform enabling the enlisted force to express opinions and make suggestions to improve morale and quality of life. While the council's target population is airman basic through technical sergeant, all are welcomed to attend the meetings held the first Wednesday of each month at 3 p.m. at the enlisted club. For more information go to the intranet and select First 6.

Movies

Admission, for DOD ID card holders and their guests only, is \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12 and senior citizens. For the theater movie recording, call 748-1157.

Friday, 7 p.m.: Tears of the Sun

(R) When a loyal Navy veteran, played by Bruce Willis, is sent into the heart of Africa to rescue a U.S. citizen who runs a mission in the countryside, he finds himself deeply conflicted at having to choose between following orders and the dictates of his own conscience.

1 hour, 58 minutes



Saturday, 2 p.m.: Agent Cody Banks

(PG) To his family and friends, Cody Banks is a typical teen. But he is actually part of a secret teen Central Intelligence Agency program. Cody's living every boy's dream life but his training is put to the test when he's sent to gain access to a scientist



whose developing deadly nanobots. He has to use everything he's learned to prove himself as an agent.

1 hour, 41 minutes

Saturday, 7 p.m.: Adaptation

(R) In an adaptation of the book "The Orchid Thief," academy award nominated creators of *Being John Malkovich* take the viewer on wild adventure that turns out to be a headtrip. 1 hour, 54 minutes



Sunday, 7 p.m.: Willard

(R) A social misfit named Willard is constantly humiliated in front of his co-workers.



His only friends are a new temporary assistant at the office and a couple of rats he raised at home and their offspring. But when one of the rats is killed, Willard unleashes his rage – and his army of rats – on his tormentors. 1 hour, 40 minutes

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D-M Officers' Club in May 2003

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Club: 748-0660 Club Closes Mondays at 2pm Lunch: M-F 11am-1pm Dinner: Wed-Thurs 5:30-8pm Sunday: Brunch 10am-2pm	Barber Shop: 748-8968 M-F: 8am-5pm	Members receive up to a \$2 discount per person for lunch or dinner.	Join us for lunch Mon-Fri 11am-1pm			
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			Prime Rib Buffet Dinner 5:30-8pm \$13.95 (mbrs receive a \$2 discount) Kids eat for \$3.95			

For current information on Services activities, check out our WEBPAGE at www.dmservicesonline.com

Services Activities

Keystone spaghetti dinner

The youth center's Keystone Club hosts a spaghetti dinner fundraiser today from 6 to 8 p.m. The club is comprised of teens whose focus is on leadership development through community service projects. The menu includes spaghetti, hamburger sauce, garlic bread, French bread, beverages and salad with French or Italian dressing. The cost is \$3 for those 10 years and below and \$5 for all others. For more information, or to become a Keystone member, stop by the youth center or call 228-8484.

Building closures

Due to a short-term power outage, buildings 4531, 4533 and 4534 will be closed Saturday. The services currently located in those buildings that will be closed include the auto skills center, arts and crafts center and self carwash.

ACC Dollar Days

The officers club hosts another ACC Dollar Days \$1 lunch for all club members Tuesday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Dollar Days is ACC's supplement to Air Force clubs' Members First program. With Members First, club members receive discounts on food purchases, special functions, including holiday buffets and dinners and all prorated special functions. For more information on ACC Dollar Days, call the club at 228-3301.

Mother's Day gift ideas

Looking for that special, personal gift for mom this Mother's Day? Stop by the arts and crafts center and buy a gift basket. The baskets contain a variety of coffee mugs, stuffed animals, treats, coffee, tea, and more. If you would like something different in your basket, simply bring it by the center and they will wrap it up for you. For more information, call 228-4385.

Mother's Day brunch

The officers club hosts a special Mother's Day brunch May 11. There are two seatings for the event. The first seating is from 10 a.m. to noon and the second is from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Cost is \$17.95 per person and members receive a \$2 discount. Children 6 to 10 years pay \$3 and children 5 years and under are free. Reservations are required. For more information, or to make reservations, call 228-3301.

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DESERT OASIS ENLISTED CLUB IN MAY 2003

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Cashier Hours: T-F: 11am-5pm Office Hours: T-F: 9am-4:30pm TOP 3 Lounge: Fri: Opens 3pm	Shock Wave Lounge: Mon: Closed Tues: 4-9pm Wed-Thurs: 4-11:30pm Fri: 3-11:30pm Sat: Closed Sun: Closed	Cabanas: Mon: 10:30am-8pm Tues-Thurs: 10:30am-9pm Fri: 10:30am-10pm Sat: 1-10pm Sun: 1-8pm	Eat at the O'Club Lunch Served: Mon-Fri 11am-1pm Dinner Served: Wed & Thurs 5:30-8pm	Barber Shop: Mon-Fri: 8am-5pm Sat: 8am-1pm 748-8710		
Don't Forget Sunday Brunch at the O'Club 10am-2pm	Cabanas Open 10:30am-8pm	6 ACC DOLLAR DAYS! Lunch Only \$1 11am-1pm (Members Only)	Shock Wave Lounge Taco Wed! FREE tacos 5pm	Wrecking Crew DJ 7-11pm	Shock Wave Lounge 3-11:30pm	Cabanas Open 1-8pm
11 MOTHER'S DAY BUFFET! Reservations Required \$17.95 members receive \$2 discount 2 seatings: 1000-1200 1230-1430	CLUB CLOSED MONDAYS	Shock Wave Lounge 4-11:30pm	Shock Wave Lounge Taco Wed! FREE tacos 5pm	Cabanas has Frozen Yogurt by the cup or cone for only .95 cents!	Shock Wave Lounge Social Hour 5-6pm Karaoke 6-11pm	
Cabanas Open 10am-8pm	26 Memorial Day Cabanas CLOSED	Shock Wave Lounge Karaoke & M.U.G. Nite! 7-11pm Bring your own mug for \$1 refills! Your choice of Domestic Draft, Soda or Juice (up to 32 oz)	Shock Wave Lounge 4-11pm	Ladies Night! 7-9pm Reduced Drinks for ladies!	23 Burger Burn 5-6pm Members Only	Specials for our under 21 members! DM Members under 21 get all non-alcoholic beverages 1/2 price! Maintain your DM "Z" membership & get credit toward your 21st birthday party at the club! CLUB CREDIT AMOUNTS: 3 months = \$75 6 months = \$150 1 year or longer = \$300
CLUB CLOSED SUNDAYS		Call Brenda at 228-3100 to book your special functions! (Booking by appointment only)				Club Closed Saturdays

For current information on Services activities, check out our WEBPAGE at www.dmservicesonline.com

Dining at the D-M clubs

Every Wednesday in May the officers club offers a prime rib buffet dinner from 5:30 to 8 p.m. They also offer a new two-for-one steak, chicken or fish night every Thursday for members only from 5:30 to 8 p.m.

In addition, Cabanas is open every day in May, except for Memo-

rial Day which is May 26. Cabanas offers a wide variety of pizza, subs, sides and frozen yogurt in a cool and comfortable beach atmosphere.

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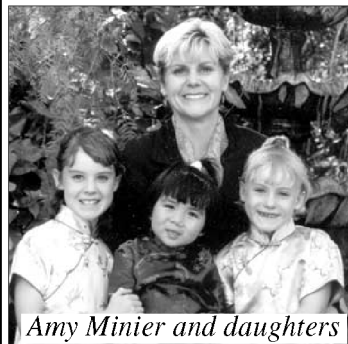
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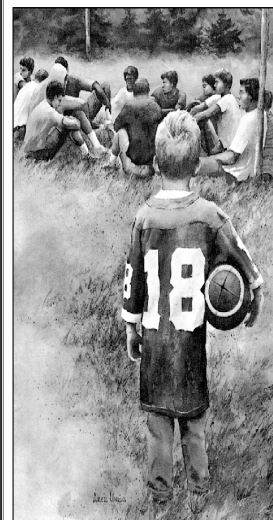
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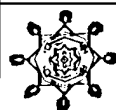
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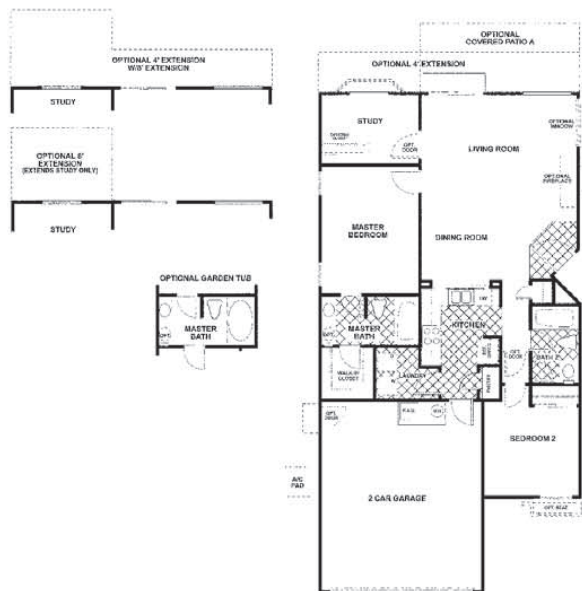
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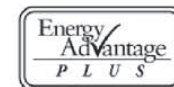
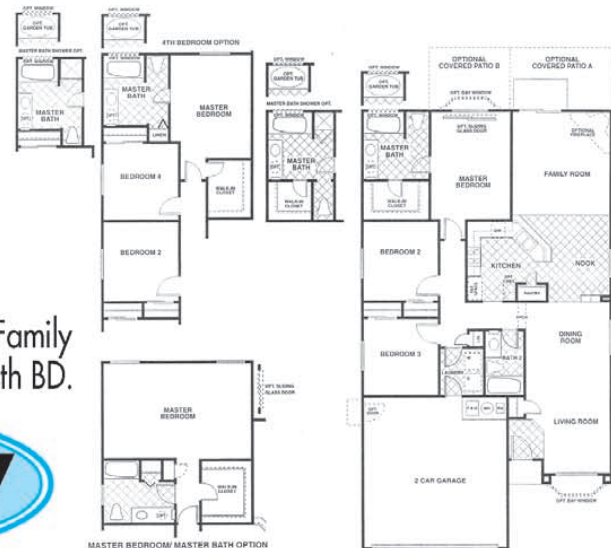
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